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**SWIMMING HOLE
CLAIMS ANOTHER.****Little Hurst McCormick Was
Drowned in Yough Near
Sodom Shops.****COULD NOT SWIM A STROKE**

In Spite of this the Lad Plunged in
the Seething Waters and Was Car-
ried Down Before He Could Be
Rescued—Drowning for Body Now.

The old swimming hole near Sodom
shops, the scene of many tragedies in
the past, claimed another victim this
morning when little Hurst McCormick
was carried beneath the seething wa-
ters of the Yough to death.

The accident happened shortly be-
fore 11 o'clock this morning and was
one of the most pathetic and peculiar
accidents of all the long list of tales
of life extracted by the treacherous
stream.

Young McCormick, he was only sev-
en, was playing with other boys in
the hole. They had a game of
ball on, but after a time Hurst was
missed. Hardly had one of the lads
asked for him than a telephone mes-
sage to Councilman William McCor-
mick brought the sad tale of the fatal
ity.

From the statements of lads who
saw the boy go in, and these are eva-
sive, the boy came to the river by
himself. He could not swim, yet took
off his clothes and plunged in. Seeing
him in a precarious condition, Ernest
Mildred, who is about the same age,
pulled off his clothes and plunged in,
but it was too late. "Ziezy" Strawn,
who was up on the bank talking to
some other boys, also ran to the riv-
er's side and stuck out a long pole
at the doomed lad. Little Hurst was
whirled around in the eddies and was
apparently too dazed to grasp the
stick which might have saved his life.
An instant later he was caught in the
swirling current and carried under the
water for the third and last time.

The boy was the son of Mr. and Mrs.
Edward McCormick of Eighth street.
The father is a boilermaker at the
Baltimore & Ohio shops, and went to
the scene immediately, as did Council-
man William McCormick.

When they arrived Young Strawn
was diving in the stream but his ef-
forts to locate the boy were fruitless.
Wall McCormick joined the search,
as did King Brady and others. There
was a delay in securing grappling
hooks, but shortly after noon the drag-
ging of the river was begun.

The lad went down about the same
place as did the little Corrigan boys,
some two years ago. There have been
many fatalities in this hole in the past
because of the treacherous currents,
but the boys persist in swimming
there. Strawn to relate the water
was comparatively warm this morn-
ing and for the past couple of days
has been attracting the swimmers.

The little McCormick lad could not
swim and now can understand why
he deliberately plunged in the stream.
He was a bright little youngster, popu-
lar with his playmates and a general
favorite.

**SICKLESMITH SAYS
LUNNON DIDN'T PAY**

Took the Furniture But Wouldn't Pay
for it or Give it Back
to Owner.

UNIONTOWN, June 18.—Accused
when he refused to return or settle
for furniture received from S. B.
Sicklesmith, postmaster at New Haven,
Harry Lunnion was held for court
after a hearing before Justice John
Boyle yesterday afternoon. It was
brought out during the hearing that
Sicklesmith had sold furniture to the
amount of \$56 to Lunnion but had not
received the purchase price.

Mr. Sicklesmith stated that he had
requested the defendant to make a
settlement at least six times, but he
never gave him a satisfactory answer
nor produced the money. On one oc-
casion he hired a dray wagon to re-
move the furniture from Lunnion's
home and to save Lunnion from unil-
lustration Sicklesmith ordered the driver
to stop a block away until he had re-
ceived Lunnion's consent. This was
refused and the team was driven back
to New Haven.

In an argument between the two
men that followed the hearing Lunn-
ion accused the prosecutor how much
he really owed him. "You don't owe
me a cent except the quarter I loaned
you, Harry," replied Sicklesmith, "as
the furniture is mine." Lunnion called
Sicklesmith into the rear office in an
effort to settle the case but as the
latter would be satisfied with only an
settlement, the payment of \$50, Lunn-
ion gave bail for court.

**Aged Man Falls Over Stone
Wall; Is Unconscious 9 Hours.**

OHIOPILE, June 18.—William H.
Strawser, a well known old soldier,
who has been making his home with
Mr. and Mrs. Judson Noble on School
house hill, met with a serious ac-
cident shortly after 6 o'clock Thursday
morning.

Mr. Strawser is an early riser and
was taking his morning walk. On his
way home, in some peculiar manner,
he fell over a stone wall on the pre-
mises where he is residing. His fall
was witnessed by a family living
near by, who at once ran to his aid,
only to find him in an unconscious
condition.

Dr. McClelland was at once sent for,
and Mr. Strawser was then taken into
the store room of C. Show of Com-
mercial street, where medical atten-
tion was at once given him. It was
found that he was suffering from a
bad cut in the back of his head be-
sides being severely bruised to a se-
rious extent. His injuries were dress-
ed, after which he was taken to his
home, remaining in an unconscious
condition for nine hours.

Slight hopes were at first given for
his recovery, but late last evening
his condition was reported very
much better.

**TEN THOUSAND GREET
WRIGHTS IN DAYTON, O**

They Shook Hands With Over 3,000
and Bowled and Smiled to
Those They Met.

United Press Telegram.

DAYTON, O., June 18.—Now that
the sergeants of William and Orville
Wright have been wrinkle and pulled
out of shape by the weight of
Government, State and city medals,
presented this morning in the pres-
ence of 20 or 30 acres of neighbors,
friends and fellow countrymen, there
is a growing conviction that they
have earned another medal for brave-
ry and endurance in action during
the last 36 hours.

What the two boys have endured
yesterday and today the public may
never know, because they never talk
except when absolutely necessary.
The hardest part of the reception of
the brothers this morning was the
handshaking. They had counted on a
few hundred friends, but when they
saw 10,000 patriots pushing, shoving
and fighting two or three companies
of soldiers and squads of police in an
effort to shake their hands a panic
seized them.

They actually shook hands with
more than 3,000 and the rest had to
be satisfied with bows and smiles. At
the fair grounds today General James
Allen, Chief of the Army Signal
Corps, presented the medals author-
ized by Congress.

**HOT RACE IN BIG
WESTERN AUTO CONTEST**

Cars Clip Off 70 Miles an Hour on
Straightways—Contestants
Are Bunched.

United Press Telegram.

CHICAGO, June 18.—Under ideal
weather conditions the Western Van-
derbilt automobile road race for the
Indiana trophy started this morning
over the Crownpoint-Lowell course at
9 o'clock. The distance is 222.74
miles.

In the stretch at the finish of the
second lap Knipper in a Chalmers
Detroit No. 5, followed by Chevrolet
in a Buick No. 8 came up with a rush
and both passed Duran in Buick No.
2 who had been leading up to that
time. The three cars began the
third lap within 100 yards of each
other, each driver "kicking the lever
out" to the limit.

Stutz in Marion No. 3 swept by a
minute later closely followed by Ro-
bertson in Locomobile No. 10. Wells
in Moon No. 11, Florida in Locomo-
bile No. 7, Chalmers-Detroit No. 17,
Stoddard-Dayton No. 15, and Cham-
bers-Detroit No. 19 in the order named.

On straightways the cars averaged
70 miles an hour.

WOMAN IS KILLED.

But Driver Saves His Life After
Hard Battle.

KITTANNING, Pa., June 18.—(Spe-
cial).—Pennings over a 40-foot em-
bankment a horse attached to a
buggy in which Mrs. Jacob Kane-
disher and a young man driver were
riding, carried Mrs. Kane-
disher to death. The horse and buggy
plunged into the Allegheny river. The
driver after a battle under the water
freed himself from the buggy and
swam ashore.

Jack Johnson Fined.
BOSTON, June 18.—(Special).—
Jack Johnson was fined \$5 here to-
day for leaving his automobile on a
street longer than 20 minutes unat-
tended. The pugilist pleaded guilty
and paid the fine.

News Print Not Free.

WASHINGTON, June 18.—(Spec-
ial).—The amendment of Senator
Brown, Republican, of Nebraska, to
give news print paper on the free list
was defeated in the Senate today by
a vote of 52 to 28.

May Build Station.
Frequent visits of B. & O. em-
ployees at the McKeesport station
have given rise to a rumor that the
company would erect a new one.

DISTILLERY CONCERN BANKRUPT

Company Doing Business at New Stan-
ton Files Voluntary Petition.

PITTSBURGH, June 18.—Louis N.
Johnson and Florence L. Johnson, do-
ing business under the firm name of
the Foxtown Distilling Company, of
New Stanton, Westmoreland county,
have filed a voluntary petition in
bankruptcy in United States District
Court. Louis Johnson places his li-
abilities at \$10,533.55 and his assets at
\$8,100, and Florence Johnson lists li-
abilities of \$12,228.70 and assets of \$5,
200, while the liabilities of the firm
are \$11,502.35 and the assets \$3,631.04.

**PT. MARION BRIDGE
IS ALMOST COMPLETED**

Court Appoints Three Inspectors and
the Event Will Be Celebrated
July 3 or 4.

The Point Marion Bridge is almost
completed and the court yesterday
named Charles L. Snowden of Brown-
sville; Frank M. Semans, Jr., and
V. E. Ellis of Uniontown to inspect
it.

The contract for the bridge was let
to the Point Bridge Company upon the
second set of bids submitted to County
Commissioners M. E. Townsend,
John S. Graham and A. J. Stentz. The
first bids were too high and a re-
tenderment was ordered. The work
was started early in 1908 and but for
the accident when one span of the
bridge dropped into the river would
have been completed before this.

During the term of the old board of
commissioners there was paid by the
county on the bridge the sum of
\$66,000 approximately. Since the first
of this year there has been paid the
sum of \$14,000. It is stated that the
completed structure, with wing walls,
concrete and masonry work and ap-
proaches, will cost approximately
\$100,000.

Plans are now on foot to have the
one big structure dedicated to public
use at a Fourth of July celebration to
be held in Point Marion. It has not
been definitely settled whether this
will be July 3 or July 5, the Fourth
falling upon a Sunday.

**AMUSEMENTS FOR
THE BIG CELEBRATION**

Greased Pig and Chickens Will
Figure in Features to
Amuse People.

The Amusement Committee of the
celebration which is planned here for
July 5 has made up its list of sports
for that day. There are good attrac-
tions for all contestants but the fea-
ture will be a five mile modified Mar-
athon race for prizes of \$20, \$10 and
\$5.

There will be the chase for the
greased pig and a chicken race, while
other events also are planned. The
100 yard race, open to all, has three
prizes, \$5, \$3 and \$2. For boys un-
der 15 the 50 yard dash will have \$2,
\$1 and 50 cent prizes. There will be
prizes of \$5, \$3 and \$1 for the sack
race and the same for the barrel race.
Five dollars will go to the man climb-
ing the greased pole while an acquit-
tance event will be a tag race, with \$3,
\$2 and \$1 prizes. The same prizes
will be given the first three in the
swimming contest, while for the
youngsters under 13 will be \$1.50, \$1,
75, 50 and 25 cents for a race. The
fat men over 225 pounds will get
\$5, \$2 and \$1.

The entries for the Marathon race
will close on July 1. The other com-
mittees are still hard at work and
will have a report to make later.

FINDS STOLEN HORSE.

Animal Taken to McKeesport Stable
on May 4.

The stolen horse, belonging to Mil-
ton Rice of Frossburg, Md., which
was searched for through Fayette and
Somerset counties was located yes-
terday afternoon in the Noble livery
stable at McKeesport. The horse was
taken to the stable by a stranger who
said he would call for it. He never
came back. The owner of the horse
on finding it sold it to John A. Shaw.

**APPRAISERS WILL
FINISH THIS WEEK**

The Work of Inspecting
Plants in the Lower
Coke Region.

ABOUT 40 PLANTS ARE VIEWED

Republic Interests Not Included in
Present Merger But There is a
Suspicion That They Will Prob-
ably Go Into a Bigger One Later.

The coke merger appraisers will fin-
ish up their present work in the south-
ern end of the Connellsville coke re-
gion this week, and will take up the
inspection and valuation of the plants
in the northern end next week. Thus
far about 40 plants of over 5,000 ovens
have been inspected and appraised.
John W. Bollean, the representative
of the merger interests, was called to
Pittsburg yesterday, but he will join
the appraisers again next week. The
latter are expected in Connellsville to-
morrow, where they will finish work-
ing up their notes.

The Courier was in error in stating
that Republic plant had been appraised.
This plant and Atcheson plant
belong to the Republic Iron & Steel
Company. They will not be included
in the present merger, but if suspi-
cions are well founded they may be
appraised at a later date for a bigger
merger. The Union-Connellsville prop-
erty, a new plant just building, has
been optioned and appraised.

The speculation of the curiosity-
loving folk a new form this week,
when a report was set foot that re-
presentatives of certain steel interests
and approached John W. Bollean with
offers to finance the coke merger. The
name of Henry C. Frick was used in
this connection. Asked about the mat-
ter yesterday, Mr. Bollean said:
"There isn't a word of truth in it. I
have a very slight acquaintance with
Mr. Frick. I have not talked with him
in ten years. I have been constantly
with the appraisers. Today I
have not seen Mr. Frick. I have dis-
cussed the financial program with no-
body. Financial men would have no
reason to approach me. I am only the
agent for taking the options and su-
perintending the appraisements. The
matter of financing the merger is in
other hands—very good hands, I
might add."

The Thompson-Connellsville Coke
Company let contracts this week for
the erection of 400 new ovens at its
two plants in the Lower Connellsville
field, Thompson Nos. 1 and 2. The im-
provement will double the company's
capacity, the company now having 400
ovens, of which 240 were in operation
last week. The company already has
optioned its holdings to the promoters
of the new independent merger of the
coke interests on the basis of its pro-
posed new capacity, 800 ovens.

BATH HOUSE FOR MINES.

One of the Leading Features Planned
for Marlanna.

Bids will be asked next week for
construction work, aggregating nearly
\$500,000, contemplated by the Pitts-
burg-Buffalo Coal Company, at Mar-
lanna, the model mining town in
Washington county. An immense bath
house for miners, capable of accom-
modating 1,500 persons, is included in
the plans. It will be located between
Agnes and Rachel mine shafts, on the
banks of Ten Mile creek.

A general store will be among the
first new buildings erected. To the
100 built brick dwellings now occupied,
eight and ten-room houses, 25 three-
room and 25 five-room structures.
The adjoining mines have been run-
ning double turn for several months
and additional housing accommoda-
tions have become imperative. Ex-
tensive additions will be made to op-
erating appliances. Contracts have
been let for 20 new air locomotives
and compressors to supply power.

**13 CENT ARGUMENT
CAUSES A FIGHT**

E. A. Christy Alleged to Have Blacked
Merchant B. F. Rudolph's
Eyes.

After an argument over 13 cents
E. A. Christy is alleged to have
poked B. F. Rudolph, the South Side
merchant, in the face so hard that a
beautiful pair of black eyes resulted.
There was a dispute over 13 cents in
an account with Mrs. Christy, which
Rudolph claimed to have corrected.
Christy refused to be appeased and
took a poke at Rudolph.

The merchant made information
against Christy and the hearing will
be held before Justice of the Peace
Frank Miller this afternoon.

**Many Chickens Fell Victims
To the Midnight Marauder.**

"The Port of Missing Fowls" might
apply to the term to apply to the
house of a chicken thief who has been
so active in this vicinity during the
past three or four months. Last ev-
ening, at the hearing of John Tor-
rence, the negro charged with the
theft of the fowls, Chief of Police
Rottler compiled a list of a few of
the recent victims. Here it is:
Mrs. Rachel Rubin, Eighth street, 48
W. 2d, North Pittsburg street, 20
Christopher Fleming, N. Pittsburg St. 8
William Snyder, Highland avenue, 11
Charles Reusch, York avenue, 30
Frank Glotte, W. Murphy avenue, 2
This is a total of 29, but this list
is not complete by any means but it
represents those who responded to
Chief Rottler's request for informa-
tion yesterday.

Torrence was given a hearing be-
fore Justice of the Peace Frank Mil-
ler last evening but T. W. Baxter,
the most important witness, failed
to appear. Baxter has been buying
chickens for 13 cents a pound for the
past few months and his first informa-
tion to the officers was had for Tor-
rence. Since that time he has, the
officers alleged, hedged in his state-
ments. The hearing will be resumed
this evening before Justice Frank
Miller.

**COLORED WOMEN CLASH.
Two of Them Aired Their Troubles
Before Magistrate Clark.**

Before Justice of the Peace W. P.
Clark last evening two colored women
of Carnegie avenue district aired their
troubles. Emma Harding was the de-
fendant, having been arrested on a
charge of assault and battery pre-
ferred by Katie Johnson.

Katie said Emma hit her and
scratched her face, the altercation re-
sulting from an argument between the
two. Justice Clark taxed the defend-
ant with the costs.

**START WORK ON
BRICK HIGHWAYS**

Greene County Will Give the New
Road a Good Trial and May
Build More.

WAYNESBURG, June 18.—Greene
county will try brick roads. Con-
tractor Robinson of Mendville, is
ready to start work on the road lead-
ing from East Waynesburg.
The road east of Waynesburg is
over four miles in length. After this
is completed work will be started on
the Oak Forest road, which is over
three miles long making about eight
miles of road which will be improved.
The road is to be of brick. The con-
tract price is about \$20,000 per mile.
Aside from about one-half mile of
brick road which was built last year
through West Waynesburg this will
be the first highway of the kind in
the county. The bids for the con-
struction of these eight miles of road
by macadam was about \$16,000 per
mile, but it is thought by many who
have studied the subject that the
brick road will be the cheaper in the
end.

The Smith Creek road which is
about four miles in length has been
used four years and the repair on the
road has cost about \$5,000 per mile in
that time. After the brick road is
completed the cost of maintenance
will be small. The brick for the road
will be furnished by the Waynesburg
Brick Company.

**ALBANIAN REBELS
FORCE TURK RETREAT**

Victory Thought to Be Decisive.
Arouses All Albanians Against
Sultan's Troops.

United Press Telegram.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 18.—
General Chetich Pasha began a hur-
ried dispatch of troops to the north-
ern portion of Albania today in re-
sponse to a message from his brother-
in-law, Djavid Pasha, that another bat-
tle with Albanian rebels is imminent.
The victory of Djavid Pasha a few
days ago, which was thought to be
decisive, now threatens to precipitate
a general rebellion throughout all Al-
bania.

Thousands of tribesmen have re-
turned to the ranks of the rebel army
after its defeat in Diakovo Mountains
and have attacked Djavid Pasha's
forces, necessitating the retreat of
the latter.

SUPERVISORS FINED.

Neglect of Duty in Somerset County
Brings Them to Grief.

ROSBELL, June 18.—Three Road
Supervisors—J. J. Bowman, Lavan
Ashe and Albert Ball—were defend-
ants before Squire C. S. Leake a few
days ago on a charge of neglecting
to gather loose stones from the roads
and failing to keep the ditches and
breakers in proper repair. The pro-
secutor was F. B. Toppin, a rural mail
carrier out of this place.
The testimony of 16 witnesses
showed that the roads in question
were in an impassable condition and
that the Supervisors had been notified
of this but had not heeded the warn-
ing. The defendants were each
fined \$2 and costs.

Like Fall Today.
The weather this morning was more
like fall than summer. The mercury
registered 63 but the wind which blew
was a cold one. Last night the mer-
cury stood at 83 and was 74 in the
morning.

**SHE USED BUTCHER
KNIFE; CONVICTED.**

Miss Minnie Clark of Wheel-
er Chastised Son of Mr.
and Mrs. Ricks.

CHURCH WORKER IN TROUBLE

In Spite of His Reputation For Re-
ligious Work Clay Price and His
Wife Were Convicted For Running
Disorderly House.

UNIONTOWN, June 18.—Miss Min-
nie Clark of Wheeler used a butcher
knife improperly and whacked the
four year old child of Mr. and Mrs.
C. B. Ricks with it. The case was
heard in court this morning and
neighborhood quarrels were aired. It
ended with Miss Clark being con-
victed.

John Carro, the Brownsville man
charged with a serious crime against
his 11 year old daughter, was acquit-
ted of the most serious count but was
convicted on the charge of intent.

Running a disorderly house proved
unprofitable to J. L. Briscoe and Lou
Doko. They were convicted and Doko
goes to the workhouse for a year,
while Briscoe was given six months
to jail.

J. D. Foltz hurled a shoe at his wife
and was prosecuted for assault and
battery. This is Mrs. Foltz's third
husband and her counsel said they all
started drinking soon after they mar-
ried her. The jury took the case
shortly before noon.

Frank Tissue, a one-legged man of
Oliver No. 1 was acquitted of running
a gambling house but will pay the
costs of prosecution.

Clay Price, the blackest negro seen
in Coates for some time, a pillar in
the church at Briar Hill, and a man
of spotless reputation and looked up-
on by his pastor as a tireless worker
in the fold, was placed on trial for
running a disorderly house. His wife
was included in the indictment, too,
and both were convicted. The night
before they were arrested there was
a church festival at their home. A
neighbor woman prosecuted the Prices.

Job Cole and Jacob Raum were
convicted of robbing the store of C.
E. Gadsis at Mt. Braddock. Raum
did not go on the stand but Cole did
and testified that he won the pennies
found in his possession playing pok-
er. Pennies were taken in large
quantities from the store and the
jury didn't believe Job.

Giovanni Citrone was acquit-
ted of false pretense and Domen-
ick Schornack, who professed to have
lost \$3, was taxed with the costs.
John Canino and his wife, Mary, were
acquitted of larceny by bailee charges.
George Davis entered a plea of
guilty to retaining coal checks from
cars but was not sentenced.

The jury has the case of William
Byans, charged with assault and bat-
tery on 14 year old John Hall. Miss
Prudence Hall, the boy's sister, was
the prosecutor.

James Kuhns and Thomas A. Rus-
sell were not sentenced yesterday as
Kuhns has applied for a new trial.
Other witnesses will be heard today
in this case.

**TRIPLE COLLISION ON
C. & N. W. KILLS ONE**

Switch Engines Run Together and
Passenger Train Crashes
Into Wreck.

United Press Telegram.
FON DU LAC, Wis., June 18.—One
trainman was killed and one injur-
ed and several passengers were se-
verely hurt early today in a triple
collision on the Northwestern rail-
road in the yards here.

Two switch engines collided and
before the wreckage could be remov-
ed a passenger train running at 50
miles an hour, crashed into it.
Engineer Thomas McDonald of
Fon du Lac was killed.

NOT SETTLED.

Court May Have to Settle Sheriff and
Commissioner's Differences.
UNIONTOWN, June 18.—It is prob-
able that the court will have to set-
tle the differences between Sheriff
P. A. Johns and the County Commis-
sioners. The trustees are not on
duty today, and the work about the
courthouse is neglected. Sheriff
Johns will not allow them to work
unless their board is paid by the
county and the Commissioners refuse
to pay for them. A consultation will
likely take place between the factions
and the court this afternoon.

The Weather.
Fair tonight and Saturday; warmer
Saturday, is the noon weather bul-
letin.



Prices on Porch Furniture, Refrigerators and Other Summer Goods REDUCED ONE-FOURTH

Here's big news!
It ought to please quite a lot of folks.
It happens like this:

Upon taking a hasty inventory of our stocks, we find we have altogether too much summer merchandise on hand.
We won't carry it over until next year, because then it would be "old," according to the way we figure things.

So we are going to hustle it out of our establishment and into your homes by lopping one-fourth off the price.
This is important, because our prices were mighty close in the first place, and a decrease of 25 per cent. brings them into the bargain class indeed.
The sale starts right away and we will wind it up as soon as we have brought our supplies down where they ought to be.

So Help Yourself at These Prices and Accept Our Congratulations:

AARON'S SPECIAL PRICES ON REFRIGERATORS.

	Value	Sale Price
Refrigerator, 40 in. high, white enamel	\$9.00	\$6.75
Refrigerator, 43 in. high, white enamel	\$12.50	\$9.38
Refrigerator, 43 in. high, white enamel	\$21.50	\$16.13
Refrigerator, white enamel, double door	\$16.50	\$12.37
Refrigerator, 45 in. high, three-door	\$34.00	\$25.50
Refrigerator, 52 in. high, four-door, white enamel	\$48.00	\$36.00

Prices Marked in Plain Figures



None But Standard Goods to Sell.

Aaron's Special Porch Swing.

An excellent swing for the money. Made on strictly Mission lines, nicely finished in Weathered Oak, strongly put together will last for years. All seats are fastened to the frame so that they can easily be replaced at any time. All swings are furnished with a set of silvered chain and other attachments complete for hanging. Special during this sale.

\$4.75



TORNADO SWEEPS OVER SCOTSDALE.

Tears a Porch Roof Off and
Hurts It on Top of
Building.

HORSE BLOWN OFF ITS FEET

Spectators Say That It Was Rolled
Over Seven Times—Was Accom-
panied by a Roaring Noise and Passed
Over the Town Quickly

SCOTSDALE, June 18.—A cyclone passed through here from northeast to southwest about 6:10 last evening and while its passage was not witnessed, it was of such character as plainly manifested the power of the funnel-shaped cloud that went swirling over the ground. Down town there was no wind at all at the time. Lifting a big porch roof and throwing it on top of the building it belonged to and blowing a horse over and over, were among its more surprising feats here. The clouds were hanging low and a rainstorm had dashed down upon the town when the clouds in the shape of a funnel, the small end being down, was seen approaching the town. It was very black, say those who saw it, and small objects could be seen within its whirling circumference. It appeared to be traveling in a southeasterly course and with a great deal of speed, and was first seen beyond the White School House. It passed over C. L. Graft's house, where it overturned a large chicken house, and uprooted several trees.

The ugly looking cloud took its way bounding over the Loucks fields and showing its power by whirling stones and other objects from the ground. The onlookers were frightened by it, and some took to their heels, although they had not time to reach there until the tornado swept through the upper part of town, passing over the western end of Walnut avenue.

The large three-story brick building of the Menomith Publishing Company was partly in the tornado's track. At the rear of the brick building and extending along the third story and perhaps forty feet long is a porch, supported by heavy pillars. The tornado seized the porch roof, lifted it, turned it over and placed it on top of the flat roof of the building to which it belonged. The floor of the porch was not disturbed and the posts were left standing. Where it tore the porch roof loose from where it was fastened

over the windows a great pile of brick were wrenched out and hurled to the ground. The upper stories of the publishing house are occupied as flats and the families there suffered a severe shock when the roof of the porch was lifted and then came crashing down again on the roof of the building.

On Walnut avenue running parallel with the building a horse belonging to Frank Brownline a train dispatcher on the Southwest Branch was standing. The tornado seized the horse and blew it over and over. People who saw the frightening performance say that the horse was lifted off its feet and rolled over at least seven times. The tornado roared loudly and went away into the air below town.

No reports were heard from west of town last night or this morning and the amount of damage it may have done there is not known.

LUTHER LEAGUE WILL MEET HERE

Twenty-five Different Churches of Two
Counties Will Be Re-
presented.

A meeting of the Greensburg Central of the Luther League of the Lutheran Church will be held here Wednesday, June 23 in the Trinity Lutheran Church. Twenty-five different churches in Westmoreland and Fayette counties will be represented and about 50 delegates are expected. There will be three sessions, morning, afternoon and evening. A very interesting program has been arranged. The principal speakers for the evening session are Rev. A. L. Young, pastor of the First Trinity Lutheran Church of Greensburg and Rev. C. F. McLaughlin of the Meyersdale Lutheran Church.

TWENTY-SIX DROWNED

Workmen Lose Their Lives Because
of An Overcrowded Boat

Not long ago 26 men lost their lives by drowning while attempting to cross the Ohio river in an overcrowded boat. They were alive, well and happy relating to their families at the time they were working and they met their death without a moment's warning. Another instance of the uncertainty of life and of the necessity of making some provision for your family while you are alive. Some of the drowned men left widows in the bank, others left their loved ones utterly destitute. How would it be with your family if you were suddenly taken? Don't you think you had better make a way for them now, at once? You can begin at the First National Bank in Conneville, with \$1. Four per cent interest.

ENGLAND INVESTIGATES

If the Shot Was Accidental Trouble
Will Be Dropped

LONDON, June 18.—(Special).—The foreign office today asked a detailed report from Captain Robertson of the British Legation in Washington which was filed upon by the Russian torpedo boat yesterday in Pitkin's bay where the Lusitania and K. liner are now moored. The Government's future action will depend upon the version of the affair submitted by Robertson. It is shown the commander of the torpedo boat had sufficient reason to believe the approach of the British vessel imminent to the Lusitania's safety the matter will not be pushed further.

OPTIONS ON 5,000 ACRES.

I. F. Overholt Has Big Tract in Can-
bria County

I. F. Overholt president of the Shado Coal Company with mines at Scalp level in Cambria county has taken options on about 5,000 acres of coal land between Stoystown and Hooverville and of the fuel lying in what is known as the Turkeyfoot. It is understood that most of the options expire July 15, which is the case with that held on the coal owned by Judge Rauch of Jeannette is associated with Mr. Overholt whose home is at Mt. Pleasant.

ANATOMICAL MARVEL

Dr. Hilliard Seems Able to Dislocate
Joints of His Body at Will.

WEST NEWTON, Pa. June 18.—Dr. Hilliard, a sort of an anatomical marvel recently gave an exhibition of his peculiarities and eccentricities here before the physicians of the town and some other gentlemen. He seemed able to dislocate all the joints of his body at will, thigh knee and ankle being out of joint at one time. The demonstration could show muscles out into great prominence, and cut off the supply of blood in such a manner that the limbs had no perceptible pulse.

NOT VISIBLE HERE

But Pittsburgh Saw the Eclipse Look-
ing at It for 25 Minutes

The unexpected downturn of rain yesterday afternoon prevented the residents of Conneville getting a look at the first eclipse of the year. In Pittsburgh the eclipse was visible with the aid of smoked glasses. It appeared on scheduled time, seven hours two minutes fourteen and two tenths seconds past noon. Dr. John Buehner of Pittsburgh and other scientists at Allegheny observatory made photographs of the eclipse.

When You Want
Anything advertised in our classified
column. The cost is a word.

ANOTHER MERGER.

West Virginians Hold Meeting and
Decide On It

Morgantown business men inter-
ested in the Graham coal field on
Fish Creek Marshall county West
Virginia met in Uniontown yester-
day and decided to merge their hold-
ings in the district and organize a
stock company under the laws of
West Virginia. The tract will be
held until a suitable price can be ac-
quired or until it is thought profitable
to develop it.

The Graham tract contains about
3,000 acres and the Knotts of Muson
town holds a large acreage. The
Morgantown men interested are T. L.
Hartfield R. R. Christian E. M. Bier-
ly, S. D. Baker, Earl M. Danner, T. N.
Lucas, T. J. Calhoun and Ray V. En-
nen. All hold shares of stock in it
and it was decided to get together
with the intention of securing mutual
profit in case of a sale or the devel-
opment of the coal.

NOT TO BUILD

Rev. Father Burns Says There is No
Truth in Published Story

Rev. John T. Burns pastor of the
Immaculate Conception Church, was
asked this morning if it was true that
the congregation was to erect a new
school building. He stated that there
was positively no truth in the report
and that it appeared without his
knowledge in a Uniontown paper. He
was most positive in his statements.

INHERITED FORTUNE

Bit of Good Hungarian Money Finds
Its Way to West Newton

Joseph Ducheck an immigrant citi-
zen of West Newton has inherited a
comfortable fortune from the land of
his nativity Hungary, and is residing
in the Second ward of West
Newton. The golden stream over the
Atlantic does not always flow in the
same direction.

The Surest Way
to prosperity as well as the most ac-
tatisfactory is to deposit a portion of
your income each week with the Cit-
izens National Bank. Then you
know that your money is secure gain-
ing a substantial rate of interest and
is available when you want it. Four
per cent interest paid on savings ac-
counts. Citizens National Bank Con-
neville, Pa. Capital \$100,000 Sur-
plus and profits \$100,000.

Two Drunks Arrested
Two drunks were arrested during
the night and had hearings before
Burgess Evans this morning. One
was given 12 hours and the other 48.

Read the opening chapters of "Pho-
nan from Brodiney's in tomorrow's
issue of this paper.

EASTSIDE IN FERMENT

Gotham Tenement District Wildly Ex-
cited Over Nothing

New York, June 18.—One of those
sudden waves of hysteria which from
time to time sweep the crowded ten-
ements of the Eastside temporarily
closed three public schools with an
attendance of more than 4,000 pupils
blocked all traffic on Grand street for
an hour and was not quieted until
the police reserves were called out.
Beyond the fact that many Jewish
parents of late have been receiving
threatening letters demanding \$1
from each family on pain of having
their children murdered there is no
explanation.

First a gust of wind carried the un-
easy tattoo of a fire engine on the
gallop to the pent up children of a
school that houses 2,000 pupils, the
engine whistled shrilly, in a minute
the hallways were filled with a mob
of shrieking fighting boys and girls.

Paralyzed mothers from nearby
tenements were clawed and kicked at
the outside of the street doors. An
other passing engine chafed the nerves
of another set of children in a second
school. The rumor spread that the
school was on fire. Before the crowds
could get to it there was a shout that
the third school had been blown up
by the Blackhats.

DROPPED OUT OF SIGHT.

A. C. Ely Left Here for New Castle
Six Years Ago—Never Seen Since

Six years ago Albert C. Ely left
West Newton supposedly for New Cas-
tle, since which time his relatives
have had no news from him. He
was a married man 32 years of age.
His sister Mrs. W. P. Gamble of
West Newton would be thankful for
any information regarding him. The
missing man was 5' 11 1/2" tall, 160 lbs.

In Social Circles.

Miscellaneous Shower

About 35 guests were present at a
surprise miscellaneous shower tendered
Mrs. H. Brooks last evening at
the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs.
Joseph Herbert on Third street West
Side. The affair was arranged by
her sister Miss Virginia Herbert and
was well typified in every detail.
The evening was pleasantly spent in
various games and music until about
11 o'clock when in elaborate recep-
tion was served. Mrs. Brooks received
many very pretty and useful pres-
ents. An out of town guest present
was Miss Ora Brooks of Normalville.

Brooks Soles
Miss Theresa Brooks daughter of
Mrs. R. A. Brooks of McKeesport
and Thomas Franklin Soles a prom-
inent young attorney of McKeesport,
were united in marriage last evening.

Afternoon at Five Hundred
Misses Helen and Mary Armstrong
are entertaining at five hundred this
afternoon at their home on South
Prospect street.

LOCAL ITEMS; PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Laura Engle of Berlin is the
guest of Miss Edna Bower, of Johns-
top, Kansas.

Finley Haggerty of Waltersburg is
here today on business.
Mrs. Henry C. and daughters
Maudie and Mrs. William O. Dannel,
and two sons Harold and J. W. of
Broadford were the guests of friends
at the Summit House yesterday.

Miss Alice Walter of Pittsburg is
the guest of Miss Elsie Humbert at
the Boulders. Miss Hazel Elliott of
Lisbon O. who has been the guest of
Miss Humbert returned home this
morning.

Mrs. J. A. Reynolds and two children
were the guests of friends in Union-
town yesterday.

Miss Anna Mae Lewis of Vanderbilt
was calling on friends here yesterday.
Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Cunningham
and little daughter Ruth, of the West
Side left yesterday for Ontario, Can.
where they will spend three weeks.

Mrs. G. K. Curtis of Dawson was in
town yesterday.
Mrs. Andrew Haas is visiting friends
in Pittsburgh today.

Mrs. J. W. Whipple and three child-
ren, Arthur, Arthur and Alfred Lewis,
are the guests of friends at Conneville.
The stork visited the home of Mr.
and Mrs. J. C. Lang, yesterday and left
a pretty baby girl.

John Keit the Broad Ford veteran,
was in town this morning. The pros-
perity wave has struck Dry Hill, he
said. As for it is a cheer. The de-
liver wagon of the Union Supply
Company are chugging round again and
the brewery wagons are a close sec-
ond. These are signs of good times are
in sight, on Dry Hill.

Chris Blair of Dawson was in town
today.

Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Cope of Bradock
have returned home after a visit with
relatives in the West Side. They were
called here by the death of the for-
mer's mother Mrs. Jane Watson Cope.

Miss Belle Weaver of Simpson, Kan.,
has returned home after a visit with
Mrs. S. D. McGinnis and other relatives
here.

William Layburn of Pittsburgh, has
returned home after a business trip
here. Mr. Layburn formerly resided in
Conneville.

B. & O. J. J. C. M. Vance of
Conneville is the guest of his pa-
rents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Vance of the
South Side today.

Miss Pauline Hodgkins of Perryopolis
is the guest of Miss Catherine
Rasmussen of the West Side today.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Long of the West
Side are the proud parents of a pretty
little girl which arrived at the Long
residence on Sixth street, yesterday.
The new baby is named Mrs. Long was formerly
Miss E. M. Lyle.

Mr. Graham is pleased to announce
to his customers that he has secured
the agent for Zemo the best known
and most reliable of the world's
cure of Rheumatism, Pimples, Dandruff,
Blackheads, Piles and every form of
Skin or Scalp disease. Having a clean,
healthy skin. See display and photo-
graphs of cures made by Zemo at the Graham
Drug Co. Conneville. D. C. Esner,
Dumbar. Ask for sample.

Prices Blown to Atoms in All Departments.

Come and share in these sensational savings on Suits, Coats, Dresses, Waists, Skirts, Undermuslins, etc.



A black and white line drawing of a woman from the waist up, facing right. She is wearing a corset with laces visible on the front. Her arms are crossed over her chest. The drawing is simple and appears to be a technical illustration.

NOTICE—The corsets mentioned above all the same style and quality, as the ones on sale two weeks ago. Ladies who were unable to get their size can do so by phone or mail same will have our immediate attention.

Corset Covers	Life value	100	Ladies' Gowns	\$1.70 value	\$1.10
Corset Covers	50c value	50	Combination Suits		
Corset Covers	The value	70	\$1.10 value		70c
Corset Co. 804	\$1 value	70c	\$1.50 value		\$1.10
Ladies' Drawers	75c value	50	\$2.00 value		\$1.30c
Ladies' Drawers	70c value	50	\$1.50 value		\$1.00c
Ladies' Drawers	\$1 value	70c	Ladies' Skirts	50c value	30c
Ladies' Gowns	10c value	50	Ladies' Skirts	75c value	50c
Ladies' Gowns	75c value	50c	Ladies' Skirts	\$1 value	70c
Ladies' Gowns	\$1 value	70c	Ladies' Skirts	\$1.00 value	\$1.10

There is style and beauty in this collection to please the most exacting critic. There are suits of all sizes and colors, black blue brown, green, tesselé, old rose every attractive feature for which the makers are so widely known are brought out in the most emphatic way, your choice of any suit in our house up to \$10 **\$9.90**

Liste Hose in pink, white, sky, slate and tan, these are all 25c values special **19c**

The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. J. L. Kaurer, Tuesday evening, June 8.

The ladies laid this meeting over for the purpose of giving the church a general cleaning. At noon a lunch was served in the choir lot by the ladies.

After the cleaning of the church, Mrs. Harry Irons of the Methodist Episcopal Church will give an ice cream social in the basement of the church Friday evening, June 9. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church held their regular meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Louis Kaurer on Woodward street.

A very interesting meeting was held

Joe Touzel, after a few days visit at the home of his sister-in-law, returned to his home at Altoona, Pa., and turned home.

Robert Anwalt, a popular young man, is now from visiting at the business.

Miss Ella Newmeyer in Enlistment at the home of her mother.

Mrs. John Riden and son Lew, have returned home from a few days visit with friends and relatives at Altoona, Pa.

Mrs. Joseph Gray of Greensburg, the guest of friends and relatives.

Miss Mary Beola Thomas, Mrs. A. Crawford, Mrs. Emma Stroden and Miss Mary are for Connellsville called on Wednesday.

Mrs. Leah Blough of Bedford county is visiting at the home of Mrs. Frank and Mrs. Sam Grayson.

Mrs. Dr. J. G. Cochran of Star Route, near Mount Washington, with her family, are visiting at the home of Mrs. and Miss John H. Weyer.

Spending a few weeks at their summer home at Altoona.

Mrs. Sam Jones, Mrs. Sarah B. Corbin, Mrs. Roy Ratz, Mrs. Anna Bean, Mrs. J. J. Smith, Mrs. M. A. Smith, Stouffer, Mrs. McGill and Mrs. Lou McGill are attending the Bookers' social at McKeesport on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. J. Smith is spending her time in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Gaylord Church has returned to a visit at the home of his sister-in-law, a day visit here with friends.

day morning for a cup of tea. I would like to visit her mother who is in the city.

With L. Jappa of Cumberland, and a few others here the first day was a rather busy one. The day was spent in the inspection of the plants of the Savage Live Stock Company, at a very fine tract of land, and in the afternoon we went to a better place with transpiring herds of cattle and horses.

Monday, June 17.—A morning left Westport for the city of Fairbanks. In the forenoon we arrived at Altona to call and see the president of the State Convention, the Hon. J. J. Jappa.

So we will have a fair of the Methodist, Baptist, and who some of the other denominations. The latter secured a position in the job department of the Northern Daily Standard. So the day is nicely passed. In the afternoon we went to the city to see the railroad, and in the evening we went to the city to see the railroad.

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CONFIDENTIAL June 19.—Mr. J. A. Black and two children, Jean and Rita, who are the only children of the family, left at 10 o'clock for the city of New York. Mr. A. K. Burke at Connellsville for the past two weeks, returned home Wednesday evening.

Mr. Charles Koontz of near Fort Union was transacting business in town several days this week.

Mr. Charles Koontz, commonly known as Spider, has been off duty at Yorkley's restaurant several days on account of illness.

Mr. J. H. Freybeck and two children of Schuylport, at the request of Mrs. Lillian Freybeck, at town.

Mr. J. H. Freybeck, father of the late Adelson, were the guests of their daughter Mrs. J. Thomas Lister of town Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. J. H. Freybeck, who has been spending several days with his daughter Mrs. A. K. Koontz in Connellsville, returned home today evening.

Mrs. Fannie Whitton of Fort Hill was the guest of friends in town Wednesday.

The number of teachers in Townships township took the several county teachers' examination at Yorkley's restaurant.

A Confession of Carnal Fall will give a fine bird concert in the park Sunday afternoon.

James Sharp who has been ill at the home of George Morrison for several months is able to be out on the street and his many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

J. W. Courie, B. & O. operator at Fort Hill was a business visitor in town Sunday.

Miss Zula Duwight and Miss John Butler of Johnstown Chapter were the guests of friends in town Wednesday evening.

SER LUNcheon June 16—Among those who attended the Convention at the Hotel Commodore were Mrs. J. W. Putz and wife M. and Mr. Joseph Hinesy Mrs. Bittencourt Mrs. I. C. Jones Mrs. E. A. Jones Mrs. Mary Lowell Minnie Thompson Edith Peters and Olive Livingston. Miss Helen Tishbach of New York was calling in town last evening. Dr. Will Huston of Dixon is calling in town.

Mrs. J. L. Corhan was calling in town. Mrs. W. Woodley of Dixon was also here.

The Washington Coal & Coke Company fired 100 tons Tuesday. The company has fired 200 more on Wednesday.

Thayer Peters and Orla Carson were visiting in town from Wisconsin.

The Real Remedy and the Recipe
There are some stout people who
think the above question does not seem to
be a very important one. They are
wrong to be so careless to obesity is
a complaint which brings many evils
in its train. It is a disease which
has sought long and various ways
to reach the human body. It is
really felt this remedy for obesity and
its attendant evils. The following prescription will
be of great absorbing interest to
all who are afflicted with this complaint.
It presents in a simple and harmless form
and will relieve a remedy which
has been tried in vain. It is a
simple and harmless remedy which
will make up for the loss of
the prescription for himself (or herself)
and will be of great interest to
all who are afflicted with this complaint.
The drug of the latter will do so with
ease and safety.

The Real Remedy
The real remedy for obesity is
Aromatic and y. oz. of Peppermint
oil. The dose is one teaspoon
ful after each meal and
before going to bed.

CHIOPE LEE June 18—Miss Oma Cuck returned to her home on Garrett street Thursday morning after a short visit to her relatives and friends in Connellsville and Uniontown.

Miss John Waters and children returned home last evening after a visit with relatives and friends at Bear Run.

Miss George Lutz of Bridge street spent Thursday shopping and visiting Connellsville friends.

Miss Luth Shaw was the guest of relatives and friends in Connellsville.

Miss H. C. Jones and daughter, Miss Helen were the guests of friends in Connellsville Thursday.

Mr. Isaac Hall of near-Whig Corner

The following books on Steam and Electrical Engineering are now in the Carnegie Free Library American Technical Society Cyclopedia of Engineering.

Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Natural Color and Beauty.
No matter how long it has been gray or faded Stops its falling out, and **positively removes Dandruff.** Refuse all substitutes. Is not a dye, \$2 and 50c. bottles, at druggists, or by mail. Send 2c. for free book "The Care of the Hair." Philo May Spec. Co., Newark, N. J.

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FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 16, 1905.

THE FULFILLMENT OF THE NATION'S HOPE.

The industrial world has evidently
gotten tired waiting on the Senatorial
Tariff talkers, and is proceeding in the
path of prosperity with a cheerful dis-
regard of the Progressive type of
statesmen.

The mills and the mines are resum-
ing and are now running close to their
full capacities. Railroads have
placed their long-delayed orders for
steel rails, locomotives, cars and other
equipment; activity in coal land deals
is marked; dividends have been re-
sumed on inactive stocks; new indus-
trial ventures are in process of for-
mation; business as a whole is fast
getting back to the conditions which
marked it before the bank panic of
1907.

The commercial world is discount-
ing the Tariff measure now under
consideration. It has been determined
that the Republican administration is
not going to ruin any body or any man-
ufacturing interest. Ex-President Roose-
velt still prizes the predatory wealth
in his gold mine articles, but his
successor in the Presidential office be-
trays a lively appreciation of the pub-
lic welfare and an earnest desire to
avoid a repetition of the conditions
which Roosevelt's handling contributed
so much to bring about.

The country may well congratulate
itself upon the situation, and the pro-
prietors of the nation's industries may
be glad to see the election of a Republican
President and a Republican Congress.

We make this statement absolutely
without partisan bias and absolutely
without fear of successful contradic-
tion. It is a plain unvarnished tale
of a fact which confronts us; it is the
redemption of Republican pledges and
the vindication of Republican policy.
It is a complete fulfillment of Repub-
lican prophecy and an ample justifica-
tion of all we have said concerning
the relation of politics to business.

We are happily not called upon to
face the other condition which we
warned the people against, namely,
the election of William Jennings Bry-
an and a Democratic Congress. The
very threat of Bryanism caused the
country to shudder and grow sick at
heart. If the Bryan policies had been
added upon us it is safe to say that
the wheels of industry would have
slowed down instead of speeding up;
that prosperity would have lingered
in retreat; that opportunity would
have not returned; that bankrupts
would have stalked through the land;
that idleness and want would have
been the portion of the Common People.

We are more than ever convinced
that the Democratic party is a Dead
End and will remain dead until such
time as it casts off Bryanism and re-
turns to the people clothed in its
right mind and the habits of the
Fathers of the Constitution.

In the meantime it is evident that
the people made no mistake in elect-
ing William Howard Taft.

**AN INCOME TAX
ON CORPORATIONS.**
President Taft's proposition to levy
a tax of two per centum on the net
income of all corporations, except
national banks, savings banks and
building and loan associations, is a
revenue measure not prompted by
any spirit of hostility to corporate
interests.

Nevertheless, the equity and the
constitutionality of the proposition is
open to question. The modern cor-
poration, which has become an ad-
vanced universal vehicle of modern
business, is merely a partnership
wherein the partners are unusually
numerous. If the income of the stock-
holder is to be taxed, why not that
of the bondholder, or of any citizen
whose interests are held slightly in-
stead of jointly?

The evident intent of the proposed
legislation is to compel the big cor-
porations, better known as Trusts, to
bear the burden of taxation? But
will they bear it? If prosperity pre-
vails, will not the consumer bear it?
And in any event will it not prove a
serious burden to the smaller cor-
porations, which are only private part-
nerships?



THE RULING PASSION.
The national game takes its place in national affairs.

We have expressed a belief in the
justice of the Income Tax as a gen-
eral proposition. We have pointed
out that wealth should pay a pro-
portion for that insurance which the
protection of government affords it
against the depredations of that might
which makes right in a state of an-
archy. But we cannot avoid the con-
clusion that an income tax on corpo-
rations alone is discrimination.

It is true that such a tax would
involve the very desirable condition
of complete corporate publicity, but
we see no reason why such a con-
dition cannot be brought about without
the necessity of that discrimination.
The tax on corporations will prob-
ably not be opposed by the corpora-
tions, but it should be opposed by the
consumer, because it will fall upon
him alone. The proposition is an old
and a demonstrated one.

The Scottsboro School Board is com-
posed of public-spirited business men.
They get 3 1/2 per cent interest from
the bank on their duty balances, and
the bank acts as Treasurer of the
School Board for nothing. Here's a
tip for the Connelville municipal
bodies.

The Sunday School line-up was
great.

Admiral Dewey will help the Tenth
regiment boys to celebrate in Green-
burg this year. We presume the naval
parade will be held on Bucks run, and
that all battleships will land at the
brewery wharf.

The "Jack of Clubs" may have
been a Trump in his time, but he has
been crushed in his own game and it's
Seven-Up for him now.

Somerset gets the soldier boys, and
the girls are happy if the quieter el-
ement is not.

The Jamiesons are going into West
Virginia. The Greensburg coal field is
too limited.

This year promises to go down in
history as the year of shipwrecks.

The Fayette county courts have not
gotten down to recent cases, but they
are near to it. Some people love jus-
tice more than money.

It has remained for Mind Island to
demolish the student superstition that
a woman can't throw straight.

Somerset county's Croft gang is
in a fair way to come to early grief.

The Fayette County Sabbath School
Association believes in a second term
for its President. Virtue hush its re-
ward.

There were many candidates for the
Republican nomination for Supreme
Court Justice, but only one was chosen.

Katherine Clemmons Gould's pas-
sion for tea has been in the wrong di-
rection. Women should stick to wa-
ter. Cold tea is a man's drink.

The Senatorial insurgents won't
rise to the Taft Income Tax bait.

Westmoreland county is promised a
strenuous judicial campaign. Things
are looking better about the political
runners in the Star of the West.

The Catholic school children got out
in time for the Fourth.

Steel stocks have been a good in-
vestment for Steel employees, and the
policy of the company's management
has had the effect intended, namely,
to make the interest of the company
and its captains mutual.

The embrace of emperors is more
good diplomatic form.

Scottsboro boasts of a real cyclone,
but it fortunately wasn't a very big or
destructive one. Scottsboro is getting
more than her share of the torpedoes.
The only one this county has known
in over half a century passed through
Fayette county by way of the Gettysburg
valley.

The Klondike disturbers of the
peace are being given jobs at the
Works.

The Income Tax will not down, so
it is to be taken up.

Senator Penrose is heaping coal oil
on Colonel Emery's head.

It is a sin
To steal a pin;
It is a greater
To steal a later;
But the bad man
Who steals a chicken
Gets a sentence
That makes him sicken.

3-room house and 3 lots on East
Fayette street, close to Main. Has
bath, hot and cold water, gas. Agent
bargain. Only \$2,500.

3-room house on Washington
avenue. Bath, hot air heat, gas, electric
light. Large lot. Only \$4,200.

JOS. A. MASON.
Room 305 Second National Bank Bldg.

Children's White Dresses.

Still more to show this week
Dainty little dresses in white.
Creations of lawn, lace and em-
broidery that are different from
the ordinary children's dresses.
Sizes 1 to 6 years and priced from
50c up to \$5 and \$6. Most of
these new ones on show this week
are priced at \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and
\$3.50.

Located on the fourth pool of the
Monongahela river, Charleston has all
the advantages of an inland lake, with
the additional advantage of extended
communications up and down the river.
The fourth pool is twelve miles long,
nearly as long as Lake Champlain,
and while not so wide is still of suf-
ficient width to give volume enough
to answer all the advantages of a lake.
By passing through the locks a suc-
cession of small lakes are reached. Up
and down the river, from Pittsburgh to
Fairmont, is an interesting and pic-
turesque waterway of one hundred miles
or more, navigable by motor boats.

These do not cost so much as autos
can be operated more cheaply, and the
thoroughfare is infinitely more exten-
sive and every bit as safe.

With these facilities at hand an op-
portunity for much inexpensive pleas-
ure is neglected. Charleston could be
made as much of a lake resort as many
of those which are noted for summer
outings. The motor boat is as capable
of as much pleasure as an auto, and is
not nearly so expensive.

**Classified Ads
One Cent a Word.**

Wanted.

WANTED—TO SAVE YOU MONEY
on your next pair of glasses, GRAHAM
& CO.

WANTED—TURNISHED ROOM IN
quiet family, by gentleman. Address,
"A," care Courier, 17th and 2nd.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM,
105 SOUTH PITTSBURG ST. 12th and 13th.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS,
Inquire 507 EAST GREEN ST. 18th and 19th.

FOR RENT—3-ROOM HOUSE, IN-
quire 410 EAST WASHINGTON AVENUE. 19th and 20th.

FOR RENT—ROOMS, CORNER SEC-
ond and Mason streets, West Side, Con-
nelville, Pa. 17th and 18th.

FOR RENT—APARTMENT, 6 ROOMS
and bath, Apply J. N. RUTZ, Colonial
National Bank. 18th and 19th.

FOR RENT—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE,
bath, gas, hot and cold water, fruit-
bearing trees. \$8.00. REAR KING ST. 17th and 18th.

FOR RENT—TWO 5-ROOM HOUSES,
with water and gas, one 6-room house,
with water and gas, and one 4-room
house, all good location. Apply YOUGH
PLUMBING CO., 124 West Peach street. 21st and 22nd.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—A GRAY BIRD, INQUIRE
W. G. ROBINSON, 15th and 16th.

FOR SALE—SADDLE HORSE, FINE
single-footed. Address, J. N. RUTZ,
Connellsville, Pa. 17th and 18th.

FOR SALE—FOUR-ROOM HOUSE,
Gas and water. Good location. In-
quire 408 1/2 ALIEN ST. 19th and 20th.

FOR SALE—EVERYTHING TOWN
in the average drug store, and many
things that are not. GRAHAM & CO.

FOR SALE—FOR \$18 TO \$25 A SET
to order not duplicated elsewhere for
\$25 to \$35. DAVE COLLEN, TAILOR, 6
17th and 18th.

Executor's Notice.

ESTATE OF PATRICK DREW, DE-
ceased. Letters of administration on
the Estate of Patrick Drew, late of
Connellsville, Fayette County, Pa., de-
ceased, having been granted to the
undersigned, notice is hereby given to
all persons indebted to said estate to
make immediate payment, and to those
having claims against the same to pre-
sent them, properly authenticated, for
payment, to J. H. KATZ, Connelville, Pa.
Executor. June 15th.

SPRINKLING PLUMBING CO.
Plumbing, heating, electric, hot water,
steam and hot air heating. Repair
work of all kinds promptly attended
to. Estimates cheerfully furnished on
all contracts. Office 322 S. Pittsburgh
street. 17th and 18th.

FOR SALE.

3-room house and 3 lots on East
Fayette street, close to Main. Has
bath, hot and cold water, gas. Agent
bargain. Only \$2,500.

3-room house on Washington
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light. Large lot. Only \$4,200.

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DUNN'S CASH STORES.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

WEATHER FORECAST.
Western Pennsylvania—Fair today
and Saturday, moderate north to
northeast winds.

A Pleasant Store

Now that the warm days are
here we would like to have you
know how comfortable this store
really is. Cool, light and airy
with a cozy rest room that is at
your disposal at any time. An
easy chair to relax in whenever
shopping gets tiresome. Some
warm dry when you are down
town come into this store and see
for yourself how cool and com-
fortable it really is. And besides
being a pleasant store see how
homelike it is. Greater than our
desire to make sales is our desire
to have you feel at home while in
this store. That has been our
one main idea of store keeping
ever since this store has been a
store.

Children's White Dresses.

Still more to show this week
Dainty little dresses in white.
Creations of lawn, lace and em-
broidery that are different from
the ordinary children's dresses.
Sizes 1 to 6 years and priced from
50c up to \$5 and \$6. Most of
these new ones on show this week
are priced at \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and
\$3.50.

New Percalines.

A fresh lot of new percalines on
show this week, new patterns and
new designs and colorings. All
priced at 12 1/2c the yard.

Children's Colored Dresses.

Sizes 2 to 14 years and priced
from 50c up to \$5 and \$6. Save
yourself lots of sewing. Too warm
to worry over the making of
these now. You couldn't buy the
material and pay for having these
made for anything like the prices
at which these are marked. Not
enough charged for the making
of these to pay for the trouble
and worry if you buy the material
and make them yourself.

**Jacket Suits at Bargain
Prices.**

Still a few here that we want to
get rid of. If you are going away
on a trip for this summer you can
have something to spend for addi-
tional pleasure if you need a suit.
Better suits in and see just how
much suit goodness \$10 or \$15
will buy at this store.

**Lace Curtains at Less
Prices.**

A number of patterns sold down
to 1, 2 or 3 pairs of a pattern. We
want to close these out as quickly
as possible and have priced them
so as to make it interesting to
you. If you have a curtain want
that this number of pairs will fill.
Not enough of these for you to
delay too long in coming to see
about them.

Vudor Shades.

Pretty near ready to quit adver-
tising Vudor Shades for this sum-
mer. Getting low on some sizes
and colors. If you have a porch you
want a shade and Vudor shades
are the best for many reasons. If
for no other because they are the
most durable shade made.

New Neckwear.

Some pretty new neckwear to
show this week priced at 25c and
50c. Some collars that are en-
tirely new and that you'd expect
to pay more than these prices for.

**July Delineator and July
Patterns.**

Delineators are here now and
patterns here for you on Tuesday,
16th. You'll be interested in the
monthly Delineator. There's not
a lot of more interesting maga-
zine published and the price is
only 15c.

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129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street,
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

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TONIGHT
AND
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UNTIL 8 P.M.

**SPECIAL
TEN-DAY SALE**

JUNE 16th to 26th

TUESDAY
NIGHT
AND
WEDNESDAY
CLOSE AT 9.

1,000 yards of Unbleach-
ed Muslin, just 19 pieces
of this muslin, not over 20
yards to one person, reg-
ular 6 1/2c quality, sale
price 5 1/2c

Bleached Sheets.—11 doz-
en bleached sheets, 81x90,
made of extra good qual-
ity of muslin, regular 75c
values, just for a few days
at 62c

Bleached Muslin at a sav-
ing of 1c on the yard.
8 1/2c, sale price 7 1/2c
10c, sale price 9c
12 1/2c sale price 11 1/2c

Summer Wash Fabrics at a Great Saving

The cool weather has scared us into knitting them, as you will note by casting
your eyes over the prices quoted below.

Windsor Plisse. A beautiful crinkled
fabric, comes in light
stripes and solid colors,
regular price 19c, sale
price 15c

**Figured Lawns, Batiste
and Swisses.** 85 pieces in this lot, reg-
ular 15c values, sale price
is 10c

Ginghams. Beautiful imported Ging-
hams, regular 19c values,
sale price 16c
Crinkled Ginghams, reg-
ular 19c quality, sale price
is 12 1/2c

Ladies' Tub Skirts.

Ladies' Lawn and Linen Skirts at 50% on the dollar. While these skirts are
last season's, they are just as good as if they were this season's.

\$3.75 SKIRTS \$1.88 \$4.50 SKIRTS \$2.25
\$4.00 SKIRTS \$2.00 \$5.00 SKIRTS \$2.50
\$5.75 SKIRTS \$2.88

**THE VERY BEST
CALICOES 5c** **ALL 10c ALABAMA
CHEVIOTS 8 1/2c**

DON'T FORGET our Ladies' Tailored all wool Suits at HALF PRICE.
ALL LADIES' NET WAISTS 25% OFF
ALL SILK WAISTS 33% OFF

**Remnants.—All remnants
of Bates' 12 1/2c Seersucker
Ginghams at 10c the yd.
All remnants of 10c Ging-
hams at 8 1/2c the yd.
Remnants of 8 1/2c Ging-
hams at 7c the yd.**

**Toweling.—All linen tow-
eling at a saving of 1c on
the yard.**

8 1/2c Toweling 7 1/2c
10c Toweling 9c
12 1/2c Toweling 11 1/2c

Zephyr Ginghams.
Striped Zephyr Ginghams
in all the newest shades,
12 1/2c, sale price 10c

All other remnants all over
the house 25% Off.

**New Styles
in
Eye Glasses**

We are constantly adding new
goods in our optical department.
Just now we are showing some
very new styles of rimless
mounts, made of solid gold, elegant
but not expensive.

Our Bifocals
or double glasses enable the
wearer to use one pair of
glasses for both near and far
vision.

Hours for sight testing
9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Larkin's Optical Parlor
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CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

**BALTIMORE & OHIO
Excursion to
Cumberland
and Return
SUNDAY, JUNE 20**

ROUND \$1.50 FROM
TRIP TO CONNELLSVILLE
Special train leaves at 9:00 A. M.

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WALL PAPER, PAINTS AND
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OLIVE OIL 65c**
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TRY OUR WANT ADS.

**Going! Going!
Gone!**

The greatest Oxford sale ever. Hundreds of people have taken
advantage of our sale already and next week promises to be a
hustler week than ever. Just two weeks till the Fourth and nearly
everybody will want a new pair by that time. We want to clean
up every pair we have in our store for men, women and children.
We don't want to carry a single pair over. You have a long while
to wear them yet, but we don't have long to sell them, and so we
have reduced the price at just the time when you are ready to
buy. See our windows for all styles and prices. Watch our win-
dows closely every day next week. Come early while you can be
fitted properly.

C. W. DOWNS & CO.,
Connellsville's Leading High Grade Shoe Store.

By Comparison

You will find our Men's \$4.00 Oxfords to be the
very best values that can be produced for the
money. We are sure that every pair of these Ox-
fords are made from carefully selected leather—
just the kind you can expect good service from and
not be disappointed. The shoemaking is of a
character that satisfies—no disappointments along
that line. That they are the Rainbow Health and
Howard & Foster makes is a sufficient guarantee
to many men of their good qualities. For a com-
bination of style, comfort and service there are no
better values at \$4.00. We invite you to look them
over.

Norris & Hooper
104 W. Main St., Connellsville, Pa.

NEW BUILDING IS FORMALLY OPENED.

Great Throng Inspects Second National Bank From Top to Bottom.

SOUVENIRS FOR THE GUESTS

Carnations and Cigars Are Passed Around While Two Orchestras Furnish Music During the Evening. Tenants Also Receive.

The formal opening of the new Second National Bank building was held last night and thousands of people went through the big structure which replaced the rattle-trap building that formerly decorated Braddock corner. From 7:30 on a constant stream of spectators went over the building, inspected the various office rooms and wound up with a trip through the banking room on the ground floor, the private offices on the mezzanine floor, and passed out the front door after receiving a carnation or a cigar. The officers and employees of the bank were stationed at various points to direct the visitors. At the entrance on Pittsburg street Cashier J. A. Armstrong extended the glad hand of welcome and started the visitors to the top floor by way of the elevator. Once at the top the spectators went through the offices of Engineer J. B. Hoag, from which point a commanding view of the town and country about can be secured. In Mr. Hoag's office, Assistant Engineer L. L. Gibson was on hand, together with others of the staff, and explained the uses of the elaborate equipment. Much interest was manifested in the electric blueprint machine. On the seventh floor the offices of the Pittsburgh Safe Company and the Fayette Lumber Company were inspected. As the building has been thrown open for use but a short time only a few of the many office rooms are occupied. On the fourth floor the Larkin Optical Company has front offices while the third floor is well filled. In front are the spacious rooms used by Dr. T. B. Richard. These were interesting because of the complete line of surgical instruments that were displayed. In the rear of his office is the joint reception room of Dr. Richard and Dr. Carl S. Horner, while the next room back is Dr. Horner's office. Joseph A. Mason has his real estate office on this floor, as also the Eckhard Coal & Coke Company and the Keystone Planing Mill Company.

The first offices to the rear of the steps are those of Dr. L. P. McCormick, who has a cozy reception room and office connecting. The visitors descended to the first floor and then passed into the spacious banking room. The first trip was to the mezzanine floor where the private offices and Directors' room are located. The latter overlooks the main banking room. The visitors were shown through the large room, went back of the "stage" and inspected the massive vault, the electric adding machines and other banking paraphernalia. A. B. Hood and Bert J. Thomas were the guides on this floor. J. Clyde Whiteley passed carnations to the ladies as they passed out while Ross Kimball handed the gentlemen the cigars. President Worth Kilpatrick and Superintendent H. L. Borg were over the office floors of the building, showing the guests here and there and explaining the various details of construction.

The new building is eight stories high and is as near fireproof as modern construction can make a building.

FIVE OF GANG NOW IN SOMERSET JAIL

Two More Arrests Follow That of Joe Ellis—One Austrian, the Other a Slav.

SOMERSET, Pa., June 18.—The five persons who are charged with abducting three women near Belmont on Sunday, June 6, have been placed in jail. John Halsey, an Austrian, unmarried and 25 years of age, and Andy Bookstitch, a Slav aged 19 and unmarried, were placed in jail yesterday. There were arrested in Jenner township, Isaac Ellis, a negro aged 27, who claims West Virginia as his residence, was brought from Keyser, W. Va., on Tuesday. Registration papers were issued and approved by the authorities. Cora Ellis, wife of Isaac Ellis, is also charged with the crime, the woman having identified her and stated that who was attracted in men a thing at the time the outrage was committed. Joe Lincoln, an Italian aged 25 years, completely the gang. Isaac Ellis is supposed to be the ringleader in the scheme. These people have been identified.

Will of Edward Johnson. Under the will of the late Edward Johnson, who died at his home in Mcallen township May 14, last, his estate goes to his widow, Alice Johnson, for life or during her widowhood, after which it goes to his children. The estate is valued at \$400 in personal property. The will is dated February 15, last, and is witnessed by Lindsay B. Frank and Joseph Walters.

Health Before All Else

The manufacturers of Royal Baking Powder have always declined to produce a cheap baking powder at the sacrifice of quality.

Royal exclusively is made from Royal grape cream of tartar, and is the embodiment of all the excellence possible to be attained in the highest class baking powder.

Royal Baking Powder costs only a fair price, and is cheaper at its price than any similar article.

HOME WEDDING AT SCOTSDALE.

The Barnhart-Millen Nuptials an Event of Last Evening.

ARE POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE

The Wedding Party Was Nearly All Made Up of Relatives and the Appointments Were Perfect and Rich. Couple Will Reside in DuBois.

SCOTSDALE, June 18.—The wedding of Miss Anna Millen, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Millen, and Elmer Crossland Barnhart, occurred at the home of the bride's parents, on Leuchs avenue, at 8 o'clock last evening. It was a home wedding of the most beautiful appointments. The Rev. J. R. Millen of Cincinnati, an uncle of the bride, was the officiating clergyman, and was assisted by Rev. R. B. Mansell, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, of which the groom is a member.

The bride was given away by her father, and wore a gown of white satin meshed with rose point lace and pearl trimmings. The bride veil was caught with lilies of the valley and she carried a bouquet of bride's roses showered with lilies of the valley. The matron of honor was Mrs. Walter J. Jones of Scottdale, a sister of the groom, and she wore a princess gown of white Paris muslin and lace. The bridesmaids were Miss Bess Millen, a sister of the bride and Miss Anna Evans, of Piquetteville, a cousin of the bride. The bridesmaids wore of pale blue satin meshed with white. The matron and bridesmaids wore white peonies. The flower girls were Martha Millen, a sister of the bride, and Virginia Maratta of Pittsburgh, a niece of the bride. They wore white silk and lace frocks and carried bouquets of white sweet peas.

Walter W. Millen, a member of the bride's wedding party, and Clyde B. Newcomer and Richard P. Darke were the ushers. The wedding march from "Lohengrin" was played by Miss Catherine Maratta of Pittsburgh, and the ring ceremony was used.

The color scheme of the decorations was in pink and white. Showers of white sweet peas hung from the chandeliers, and a great mound of pink peonies was the centerpiece of the bride's table, at the wedding supper immediately after the ceremony. Foris and palms were bunched about the rooms. During the evening the young couple left for a trip to eastern points, and upon their return will reside in DuBois.

The bride is one of Scottdale's most charming girls, and is a daughter of Rev. H. W. Millen, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. Millen, who have resided here for several years. The groom is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Barnhart, and by profession is a civil and mining engineer, and is chief engineer for the Casco Coal & Coke Company at DuBois. Both the bride and groom are graduates of the Scottdale High School and popular young people.

Large Improvements. Improvements aggregating \$1,400,000 on the Wash-Pittsburg Terminal railroad and the West Side Belt Line are expected to be completed November 1.

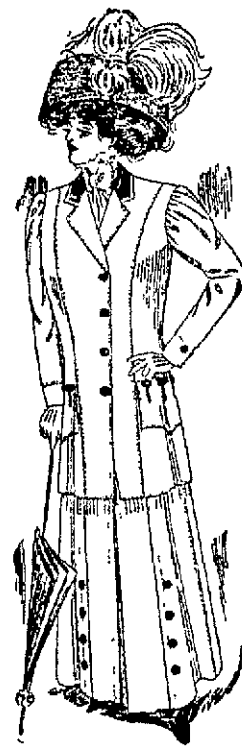
BRITISH VESSEL SHELLED

Warship of Russian Squadron Damaged by English Steamer. Stockholm, June 18.—Dispatches received here from Helsingfors confirm the news that the British steamer Woodburn of New Castle was fired upon by a vessel of the Russian squadron in Pskop Bay, the rendezvous of Emperor Nicholas and Emperor William.

The first was a blank charge, but this was followed a few seconds later by two shells. Portions of the shells penetrated the bulkheads and the boiler of the Woodburn. The engineer of the steamer was wounded in the leg and was taken aboard the Russian cruiser Adia, where his wounds were dressed. Later the injured man was conveyed to a hospital at Viborg.

Classified Ads in The Courier bring results. Only one cent a word. Try them.

Greatest Ladies' Suit Sale of the Season



\$8.90 for Ladies' Suits that have all the perfection of made-to-order garments, with style touches that impart to the wearer a charming individuality strictly man-tailored Prince Chap, semi-fitted hipless effects, all made of men's worsteds, French serges and English Cloth, worth \$22.50 and \$20.00.

\$3.90 for Ladies' Linen Suits, in plain colors and striped materials, very wide range of combination colors; coats 36 and 38 inches long; worth \$6.00 and \$6.50.

\$4.90 for Ladies' Linen Suits in plain and striped linen cloth; also fine Repp cloth. In a fine assortment of colors; coats made in 36 to 40 inches; long skirts, self trimmed with neat folds; worth \$7.50 and \$8.00.

WAISTS.

95c for Ladies' Waists made of white lawn, longie and madras, some Dutch collars; all-over embroidered fronts and some made with laundred cuffs and collars, worth \$1.50 and \$1.75.

SKIRTS.

\$1.98 for Ladies' Linen Skirts made of heavy cloth in white only, worth \$3 and \$2.50.

SKIRTS.

\$3.98 for Ladies' Skirts made of Panama and Chiffon Panamas cloth in black, blue, and brown, very neatly trimmed with satin and self trimmed, worth \$5.98.

\$6.90 for Ladies' Skirts made of voile, chiffon Panama, very stylishly trimmed with silk, some made with folds, others plain flare, worth \$10.50 and \$9.50.

MACE & CO.

The Big Store,

Connellsville, Pa.

A Car Load 60,000 Rolls of Wall Paper Just Received

We made a deal with the Pittsburg Wall Paper Co., of New Brighton, Pa., for a carload of Wall Paper direct from the factory. It is now in our store and we bought it low enough to furnish Wall Paper for your house at wholesale prices. To those who have papering to do, this is a rare chance to buy high grade goods at low prices. This paper was purchased for spot cash. The factory needed the money and we got the paper. We got it at a price that would make the little stores look sick, and we are going to sell it at prices that will make those who have papering to do look pleased. Come in and see what you can buy for a little money. Bring the size of your room, for you will be pleased before leaving. This is no advertising story, but solid facts. The paper is here and ready for your inspection. We have money enough in spite of hard times to buy bargains when we see them, and we have confidence enough to buy large quantities and nerve enough to make low prices, which will make customers for us.

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|-----|---|-----|
| 3c | For this little price you can buy attractive paper for bed rooms, kitchens, halls and living rooms. Others would ask you 6c a bolt for these papers, our price, bolt | 3c |
| 4c | For this price you can buy papers having 9 or 18 inch borders, attractive patterns for any room in the house a good assortment of colorings, bolt | 4c |
| 5c | It is truly wonderful the papers we can show you at this price. A greater assortment than many stores carry in their entire line. 9 inch or 18 inch borders, 40 patterns to select from, bolt | 5c |
| 6c | For 6c the bolt you can buy beautiful floral and gold papers that others sell for 15c the bolt. These papers are suitable for the finest rooms and will tone up any house. Look them over, bolt | 6c |
| 8c | For 8c the bolt our line varnished gold papers. The brightest and most beautiful papers to be found. Other stores are selling these papers for 15c the bolt. Why not pay 8c and save money | 8c |
| 10c | For 10c we have 30 styles high color papers, independent papers, two-tone effects, in fact the finest to be found. They are worth 20c to 50c the bolt, our price | 10c |

SCHMITZ' New York Racket Store.

Douglas Business Colleges
Pittsburg Connellsville McKeesport Uniontown Charleroi
Good Positions for Graduates

FIRST-CLASS JOB PRINTING DONE AT THIS OFFICE; PROMPT SERVICE; PRICES REASONABLE.

Our Customers

Are all satisfied customers, you do not hear them complaining about the high cost of living, because our prices are so low and the quality of our goods so high that they have nothing to complain about. Why not join the satisfied ranks and save money for you know the very easiest way to make money is to save it. We save you 20 per cent.

Buy Your Fresh Meats at our FRESH MEAT COUNTER.

3 lbs Extra Choice Peaches	25c	3 cans Pink Salmon	25c	11 cakes Good Laundry Soap	25c
3 lbs Fancy Raisins	25c	6 cans Oil Sardines	25c	6 cakes Fairy Soap	25c
2 lbs Extra Choice Apples	25c	1 can Pumpkin	25c	4 lb box Washing Powder	15c
4 lbs Good Peaches	25c	3 cans Fancy Tomatoes	25c	4 bottles Ammonia	25c
3 cans California Peaches	50c	3 cans Cream Corn	25c	4 cans Lye	25c
3 5c boxes Matches	10c	3 cans Early June Peas	25c	4 lb box Dutch Cleanser	25c
3 5c sacks Salt	10c	3 cans Kidney Beans	25c	3 boxes Carpet Cleaner	25c
3 5c cakes Scourall	10c	4 cans String Beans	25c	4 cakes Washing Tablets	25c

50 lb sack White Satin Flour	\$1.75	25 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar	\$1.30
1 bu. Choice Mountain Potatoes	\$1.05	6 lbs. Rolled Oats	25c
10 lb sack Corn Meal	25c	5 lbs. Pearl Tapioca	25c
3 bottles Butterfly Catsup	25c	3 boxes Jell-O	25c
7 Double Sheets Fly Paper	10c	3 boxes Fruit Pudding	25c
13 cans Peerless Milk	50c	4 boxes Indian Corn Starch	25c
2 lbs. Extra Choice Rio Coffee	25c	1 lb. cake Paraffine Wax	10c
1/2 lb. box Hershey Cocoa	18c	Elmer's Root Beer Extract, bottle	15c
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SENTENCES ARE NUMEROUS.

Joe Woodish Goes to the Workhouse for Eighteen Months.

HOTTNER BOYS ARE CONVICTED

Horse Trade Got Them Into Trouble at Brier Hill—Joseph Wilgus Had a Very Poor Case Against John Spelcher—Routine News.

UNIONTOWN, June 18.—Joe Woodish, who pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery yesterday was sentenced to the workhouse for a term of 18 months. Joe used an axe as a weapon upon a fellow boarder in one of the Klondike coke towns and his victim was badly used up, the stolen being backed in several places he sustained a broken arm. The sentence was imposed by Judge Robert E. Umbel in the large court room.

John Shipley and Mary Shipley were convicted yesterday of conducting a disorderly house at Uniontown. Judge Van Swearingen sentenced each of them to the workhouse for one year.

Nathan, Louis and Harry Hottner, three men from Brier Hill, were convicted yesterday of a charge of assault and battery upon G. C. McCall, the result of a horse trade. They were acquitted of the charge of horse stealing. Nathan Hottner was convicted of a charge of permitting gambling on his premises upon the oath of Joseph Parker. Judge Van Swearingen fined Nathan Hottner \$50 and costs on the gambling charge.

Louis Hottner \$40 and costs on the assault and battery case and discharged Harry Hottner, who is an old man with a grizzled beard. Harry Hottner, a youth from Fairchance, pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking into a Baltimore & Ohio railroad car at Fairchance and stealing some cheese and tobacco. He was sentenced by Judge R. E. Umbel to the Uniontown reformatory. August Hottner, who was also charged with the offense, was acquitted.

John H. Spelcher and Mary Wilgus were tried before Judge Umbel yesterday upon charges of wrongdoing brought by Joseph Wilgus. The testimony was rather spicy, but was not dependable. At the conclusion of the Commonwealth's testimony, District Attorney Davis W. Henderson stated to the court that he would not ask a conviction upon such "flaky" stories, so the case went to the jury merely upon a question of costs.

Morris Greenwalt pleaded guilty to a charge of aggravated assault and battery. He was sent to the workhouse at High House.

Saga Solomon, an Assyrian, bought some fruit from August Arrigo of Belleverton, and gave him a check for \$3.05, which was dated 15 days ahead. The check came back when presented and Saga was charged with false pretenses. The court directed a verdict of acquittal and the jury retired on a question of costs, placing them upon Saga.

Rebecca Franka of Dunbar township, charged her husband, Andrew, with assault and battery, claiming that he used his fists upon her. The jury acquitted Andrew and divided the costs between husband and wife.

Toney Pollak, charged with assault and battery by George Brim, was acquitted, but ordered by the jury to defray one-third of the costs, the remainder being placed on the prosecution.

Robert R. Crawford was acquitted of a charge of desertion and non-support, but ordered to pay the costs.

COKE COMPANY HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Brier Hill Stockholders Chose Officers and Voted Big Plant Yesterday.

UNIONTOWN, June 18.—The annual meeting of the Brier Hill Coal & Coke Company was held at the works at Brier Hill yesterday and the officers and directors were elected. H. H. Stambaugh was re-elected President; R. C. Stenue, Vice President; John Pod, Treasurer, and Thomas McCaffrey, Secretary and Superintendent. The directors are the above officers and Messrs. J. C. Butler, of Uniontown, Messrs. Stambaugh, Stenue and Pod are from Youngstown.

Following the meeting the officials completed an inspection of the plant and found everything in line shape. The full number of owners, 470, are in service and Superintendent McCaffrey reported that the product from this time until the first of the year had been sold. Prospects for next year were reported very bright.

The party came to Uniontown yesterday afternoon in automobiles and were shown the beauty spots. They visited the homes of George D. Howell and J. V. Thompson and were entertained at luncheon by Mr. Thompson. Uniontown gentlemen present at this luncheon included F. C. Kelgley, Isaac W. Remans and James R. Barnes. Other guests present were David Pod, Porter Pollock, Richard Garlick, Fred Wilkin-

BUTTERFLY-WALL DEBUTANTE TO WED A STUDENT.



Miss Mary Astor Paul, daughter of the late J. W. Paul, a Philadelphia multimillionaire, is to be married on June 21 to Charles Mann of Washington. Owing to the recent death of her father the wedding will be a simple one, but many notable persons will be present. The invitations have been issued by her brother, A. J. Drexel Paul. The young couple will take a house in Boston for the present, as Mr. Mann has a year yet to complete his course at Harvard. When Miss Paul was introduced to society more than a year ago her father gave a magnificent ball, at which 500 live Brazilian butterflies were a feature.

son and Theodore Walton, of Youngstown and John Nerels of Girard, O. The Ohioans came to Brier Hill Wednesday in a private car and left last evening the car being attached to the 5:10 train. The party arrived at Uniontown last night at 8:40, or 5:40 Eastern time.

OPPOSE WOMEN VOTING.

Cardinal Tells Fair Graduates to Keep Out of Politics.

Emmitsburg, Md., June 18.—In an address to the girl graduates of St. Joseph's college and academy Cardinal Gibbons declared against woman suffrage, saying in part:

"I am entirely opposed to woman suffrage, not because I hate the women, but I love them and want them to fulfill the mission for which God intended them. If you play in the arena of politics you will be covered with dust. If you grasp too much you will lose everything. Nowhere is woman so honored as in the United States. This is largely due to the civility and courtesy of the men, and if you are protected by the male sex, what more do you want?"

"I want to remind you that woman has a great mission in life. You should therefore have enough sense of your responsibility in the domestic walks of life."

"You cannot hope to preach in the church, but you can preach in your homes and reach those with whom you come in contact in your daily lives. Preach to your fathers and brothers. Woo be to society if it had to depend upon the male sex alone—it would certainly go to the devil."

EMBRACE AFFECTIONATELY

Czar and Emperor Exchange Greetings in Gulf of Finland.

St. Petersburg, June 18.—Czar Nicholas and Emperor William of Germany exchanged greetings in the Gulf of Finland.

Upon the Hohenzollern's arrival Emperor Nicholas immediately ordered a boat lowered and proceeded to the German imperial yacht, the ship being a salute. Emperor William met Emperor Nicholas at the gangway. The monarchs kissed and shook hands heartily, the band playing the Russian national hymn.

The visit lasted for half an hour, and the German emperor returned the visit on board the Standard, where he was greeted by the Russian sovereign and his family, the band playing "Die Wacht am Rhein."

"The Man from Brodney's"

OUTBREAK OF LICE THIS YEAR.

State Zoologist Surface Tells How to Treat Trees.

APPLES SUFFER THE MOST

Lice Must Be Killed By Spraying the Trees at the Right Time, But It is Now Too Late to Start on Them.

State Zoologist Surface reports that he is receiving communications from all parts of the State of Pennsylvania of the unusual outbreak of Aphids, or Plant Lice, this year. Many persons ask what to do for them, while others state that they have sprayed with various preparations without success, some stating they have used Paris Green; others arsenate of lead; others Bordeaux mixture, fluo-sulphur wash, etc. Some sprayed last winter and some sprayed last week, likewise without result that were good. In reply to these communications explanation has been made that the Plant Lice are sucking insects which damage trees and other plants by injecting a poisonous saliva, and then sucking out the modified sap. The leaves upon which they live curl until they form protruding homes within which the pests are then safe, and cannot be reached by any spray fluids. Bordeaux mixture does not affect them because it is a fungicide. The arsenical poisons do not kill them because they are for the chewing insects only.

The Plant Lice are to be killed by spraying at the right time, which means shortly after the buds burst or before the leaves have curled, with the right material, which is a good contact insecticide, strong enough to kill the pests, but not strong enough to injure the leaves. For this purpose of water should be used, or about eight per cent kerosene emulsion, or a stronger soap solution, or a very strong tobacco decoction. It must be so applied as to come into contact with the bodies of the pests, or they will not be injured. Therefore, those within the curled leaves are safe as far as spraying is concerned, and the leaves containing them should be picked off and destroyed by burning or dropping into oil.

The Apple Aphid is by far the most commonly reported pest at this time of year. However, it has reached its worst and will soon be leaving the apple trees to migrate to the roots of grasses and grain, where it spends the summer. In fact, many leaves now show only its green skins. The appearance is worse than the result, as the leaves are deformed but not entirely destroyed, and as treatment at this time of year for the badly curled leaves is out of the question, it is not necessary to attempt to give it. Where, however, jumping plant lice, leaf hoppers, and other sucking insects are present, the remedy consists in getting one of the contact insecticides named above to come in touch with the body of the pest. This can be done by spraying or by bending the twigs containing the pests so that they can be dipped into pans holding the liquid, or by dipping bunches of twigs or whole branches in the liquid and dipping it against the pests in a fine spray.

HIGH AVERAGES MADE BY PUPILS

Immaculate Conception Schools Closed Yesterday For the Summer Vacation.

The Immaculate Conception Schools closed yesterday at noon for the summer vacation. The school enrollment for the year was 187, and the average daily attendance was 155. The final examinations, the questions of which are set by the Diocesan board, were held two weeks ago. On this occasion many of the pupils handed in papers that gave evidence of earnest application to study on the part of the writers. While an average of 75 per cent entitled a pupil to promotion, we publish only the names of those in the grammar grades who have attained an average of 80 per cent or over:

First place—Mary Bailey 98½%. Second place—Marguerite Reinhardt 94%.

Other pupils who attained over 90% are Anna Sikora and Gertrude Brennan. Over 80%—Mary McKeever, Joseph Quinn, Nellie Brennan, Edward O'Brien, George Johnston, Andrew McCashin.

Grade 4. First place—Corinne Condon 97½%. Second place—Irma Condon 92½%.

Over 80%—Mary Ann, Mary Manston, Marguerite Lord, Angelica Gandotti, Mary Lowrey, Thomas McKeever, Agnes Corbican.

Over 80%—Loretta Lowmyer, Marguerite Monahan, Thomas Cunningham.

Grade 5. First place—Margaret Doyle 97%. Second place—Alice McKeever 94%.

Over 80%—Gertrude Weidinger, Alfred Aldridge, Thomas Gentry, Loretta May, Veronica Bush.

Over 80%—Francis Friel, Edward Sudzik, Genevieve Salsan, Stephen Rotondi, Eleanor Rush, Anna Zima, Donald Condon, John Cuneo, Teresa Burns, Anna Duggan, Bridget Sullivan, Marie Flanagan, Teresa Kayser, Clara Laffey, Salsan Madigan.

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1 bu. Potatoes	\$1.10	4 cans Good Quality Corn	25c	1 lb. Best Creamery Butter sold in Connellsville	30c
2 lbs. Good Rio Coffee	25c	3 cans Fancy Cream Corn	25c	3 lbs. Good Miami Peaches	25c
3 lbs. No. 1 Santos Coffee	50c	2 cans Fancy Pack Country Gentleman Corn	25c	3 boxes Dunham's Coconut	25c
4½ lbs. Navy Beans	25c	1 can best quality fancy Lemon Cling	25c	3 lbs. Lunch Crackers	25c
3 cans Standard Tomatoes	25c	0 Peaches	20c	3 lbs. Graham Crackers	25c
1 can best Red Ripe Tomatoes	0	3 cans Van Camp's Hominy	25c	2 lbs. Splendid Quality Mixed Cakes	25c
1 can Extra Fancy Wingold Tomatoes	13c	3 4-lb. Sacks Salt	10c	2 lbs. Fig Newtons	25c
3 lbs. Good Prunes	25c	3 5c-boxes Matches	10c	9 cakes Fancy Toilet Soap	25c

Specials for Friday and Saturday.

1 10c-box Smith's Eggs Noodles	6c	6 cakes Cocoa Oil Soap	25c
4½ lbs. Lima Beans	25c	3 lbs. Cakes	25c
8 cans Cream	25c	1 box Raisins	5c
		1 box Raspberries	25c

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WOMAN VICTIM OF BRUTAL CRIME.

Was Stabbed Forty Times and Her Skull is Fractured.

DAUGHTER IS BADLY BEATEN

Boarding House Keeper at Coaldale, Pa. Attacked During Early Morning Hours and Left to Die—All Wounds Are Serious.

Pottsville, Pa., June 18.—One of the most brutal crimes ever perpetrated in this country was committed some time during the early morning hours at the home of Mrs. Kate Ferezze at Coaldale when she and her seven-year-old daughter were fatally stabbed and beaten and left to die while an infant child lay between them, apparently having never awakened by the noise.

Although the state police have been at work upon the case, they have not yet been able to gather any clue to the brutal assassins. No motive can be found for the crime and all but the most complete ignorance of the tragedy up until the time when the two men say they were awakened by the screams of one of the victims.

Mrs. Ferezze keeps a boarding house at Coaldale and has ten men living there. They occupy the upstairs rooms while the woman and her two daughters slept on the first floor. One of the boarders was awakened by screams and with the assistance of another boarder they broke in the door and there found the mother and daughter lying unconscious on the bed.

Both had their faces beaten into an unrecognizable condition, their skulls were fractured, while the mother had forty stab wounds on her head and body. The daughter had been stabbed about a dozen times. Not a scratch was found on the baby.

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Mrs. Ferezze was removed to the Alms' hospital at Fountain Springs. Neither has regained consciousness, and there is not any hope for their recovery. Any one of a dozen of the forty stab wounds received by the mother are sufficient to cause death and her skull is so crushed that physicians marvel that she did not die instantly.

The child is so weak from the loss of blood from the twelve stab wounds she received that her life seems to hang upon a thread.

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